



PATENT APPLICATION A7965

Allowed: March 18, 2004

Examiner: Javaid H. Nasri

Group Art Unit: 2839

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Nicholas V. NECHITAILO

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For: TAPE BASED HIGH FIBER COUNT CABLE

ATTENTION: OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith four (4) sheets of replacement drawings illustrating Figs. 1-6 in compliance with 37 CFR §1.84, which incorporate the proposed changes that were approved in Paper No. 9 and the Notice of Allowability, and are believed to obviate the informalities indicated on Form PTO-948 attached to Paper No. 5..

The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these substitute drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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